

IN THE CLAIMS:

1. (Currently Amended) Assembly of a drink dispenser provided with a cooling chamber having an opening in a top surface for accommodating a container containing carbonated drink through said top surface, a lid hingingly connected to the cooling chamber for closing off the opening and having chamber, a dispensing head for opening and closing a dispensing line and a container containing carbonated drink provided with a drink dispensing opening and with ~~[[a]]~~ the dispensing line that connects the drink dispensing opening to the dispensing head, wherein the container is provided with a pressure medium feed opening and with a reservoir with a pressure medium therein, which reservoir is provided with a pressure line coupling, wherein the lid is provided with ~~[[a]]~~ the pressure line with, at one end, a reservoir connector for connecting to the pressure line coupling of the reservoir and with, at the other end, a pressure medium feed connector for connecting to the pressure medium feed opening of the container, wherein the reservoir connector and the pressure medium feed connector are brought into fluid-tight engagement with the pressure line coupling and the pressure medium feed opening, respectively, by closing the lid.

2. (Original) Assembly according to Claim 1, wherein the pressure line is connected to a pressure regulator for setting a pressure drop between the reservoir connector and the pressure medium feed connector of the pressure line.

3. (Currently Amended) Assembly according to Claim 1, wherein the container is provided with an accommodating cavity with a replaceable container containing CO<sub>2</sub> under a pressure higher than 1 bar therein.

4. (Original) Assembly according to Claim 3, wherein the replaceable container contains liquid CO<sub>2</sub>.

5. (Previously Presented) Assembly according to claim 1, wherein the pressure line is in communication with an expansion chamber located between the reservoir connector and the pressure medium feed connector of the pressure line to reduce the pressure of the CO<sub>2</sub> from the reservoir.

6. (Previously Presented) Container for use in an assembly according to claim 1, comprising a reservoir with a pressure medium therein, which reservoir is provided with a pressure line coupling and with a pressure medium feed opening, wherein the reservoir is connected to the container such that it can be removed.

7. (Original) Container according to Claim 6, wherein the reservoir contains liquid CO<sub>2</sub>.

8. (Currently Amended) Dispenser for use in an assembly according to claim 1, comprising a cooling chamber having an opening in a top surface for accommodating a container containing carbonated drink through said top surface, a lid hingedly connected to the cooling chamber for closing off the[chamber,] opening and having a dispensing head for opening and closing a dispensing line and a container containing carbonated drink provided with a drink dispensing opening and with the dispensing line that connects the drink dispensing opening to the dispensing head, wherein the container is provided with a pressure medium feed opening and with a reservoir with a pressure medium therein, which reservoir is provided with a pressure line coupling, wherein the lid is provided with [[a]] the pressure line with, at one end, a reservoir connector for connecting to [[a]] the pressure line coupling of the reservoir and with, at the other end, a pressure medium feed connector for connecting to the pressure medium feed opening of [[a]] the container, wherein the reservoir connector and the pressure medium feed connector are brought into fluid-tight

engagement with the pressure line coupling and the pressure medium feed opening ~~of the container,~~  
respectively, by closing the lid ~~when a container has been placed in the dispenser.~~

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10. (Original) Assembly according to claim 1, wherein the pressure line is in communication with an expansion chamber located between the reservoir connector and the pressure medium feed connector of the pressure line to reduce the pressure of the CO<sub>2</sub> from the reservoir.

11. (Original) Assembly according to claim 2, wherein the pressure line is in communication with an expansion chamber located between the reservoir connector and the pressure medium feed connector of the pressure line to reduce the pressure of the CO<sub>2</sub> from the reservoir.

12. (Original) Assembly according to claim 3, wherein the pressure line is in communication with an expansion chamber located between the reservoir connector and the pressure medium feed connector of the pressure line to reduce the pressure of the CO<sub>2</sub> from the reservoir.

13. (Original) Assembly according to claim 4, wherein the pressure line is in communication with an expansion chamber located between the reservoir connector and the pressure medium feed connector of the pressure line to reduce the pressure of the CO<sub>2</sub> from the reservoir.

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15. (Currently Amended) Dispenser for use in an assembly according to claim 2, comprising a cooling chamber having an opening in a top surface for accommodating a container containing carbonated drink through said top surface, a lid hingingly connected to the cooling

chamber for closing off the [chamber,] opening and having a dispensing head for opening and closing a dispensing line and a container containing carbonated drink provided with a drink dispensing opening line that connects the drink dispensing opening to the dispensing head, wherein the container is provided with a pressure medium feed opening and with a reservoir with a pressure medium therein, which reservoir is provided with a pressure line coupling, wherein the lid is provided with [[a]] the pressure line with, at one end, a reservoir connector for connecting to [[a]] the pressure line coupling of the reservoir and with, at the other end, a pressure medium feed connector for connecting to the pressure medium feed opening of [[a]] the container, wherein the reservoir connector and the pressure medium feed connector are brought into fluid-tight engagement with the pressure line coupling and the pressure medium feed opening of ~~the container~~, respectively, by closing the lid ~~when a container has been placed in the dispenser~~.

16. (Currently Amended) Dispenser for use in an assembly according to claim 3, comprising a cooling chamber having an opening in a top surface for accommodating a container containing carbonated drink through said top surface, a lid hingly connected to the cooling chamber for closing off the [chamber,] opening and having a dispensing head for opening and closing a dispensing line and a container containing carbonated drink provided with a drink dispensing opening and with the dispensing line that connects the drink dispensing opening to the dispensing head, wherein the container is provided with a pressure medium feed opening and with a reservoir with a pressure medium therein, which reservoir is provided with a pressure line coupling, wherein the lid is provided with [[a]] the pressure line with, at one end, a reservoir connector for connecting to [[a]] the pressure line coupling of the reservoir and with, at the other end, a pressure medium feed connector for connecting to the pressure medium feed opening of [[a]] the container, wherein the reservoir connector and the pressure medium feed connector are brought into fluid-tight

engagement with the pressure line coupling and the pressure medium feed opening ~~of the container,~~  
respectively, by closing the lid ~~when a container has been placed in the dispenser.~~

17. (Currently Amended) Dispenser for use in an assembly according to claim 4, comprising a cooling chamber having an opening in a top surface for accommodating a container containing carbonated drink through said top surface, a lid hingedly connected to the cooling chamber for closing off the [chamber,] opening and having a dispensing head for opening and closing a dispensing line and a container containing carbonated drink provided with a drink dispensing opening and with the dispensing line that connects the drink provided with a drink dispensing opening to the dispensing head, wherein the container is provided with a pressure medium feed opening and with a reservoir with a pressure medium therein, which reservoir is provided with a pressure line coupling, wherein the lid is provided with [[a]] the pressure line with, at one end, a reservoir connector for connecting to [[a]] the pressure line coupling of the reservoir and with, at the other end, a pressure medium feed connector for connecting to the pressure medium feed opening of [[a]] the container, wherein the reservoir connector and the pressure medium feed connector are brought into fluid-tight engagement with the pressure line coupling and the pressure medium feed opening ~~of the container,~~ respectively, by closing the lid ~~when a container has been placed in the dispenser.~~

18. (Currently Amended) Dispenser for use in an assembly according to claim 5, comprising a cooling chamber having an opening in a top surface for accommodating a container containing carbonated drink through said top surface, a lid hingedly connected to the cooling chamber for closing off the [chamber,] opening and having [[a]] dispensing head for opening and closing a dispensing line and a container containing carbonated drink provided with a drink dispensing opening and with the dispensing line that connects the drink dispensing opening to the

dispensing head, wherein the container is provided with a pressure medium feed opening and with a reservoir with a pressure medium therein, which reservoir is provided with a pressure line coupling, wherein the lid is provided with ~~[[a]]~~ the pressure line with, at one end, a reservoir connector for connecting to ~~[[a]]~~ the pressure line coupling of the reservoir and with, at the other end, a pressure medium feed connector for connecting to the pressure medium feed opening of ~~[[a]]~~ the container, wherein the reservoir connector and the pressure medium feed connector are brought into fluid-tight engagement with the pressure line coupling and the pressure medium feed opening ~~of the container,~~ respectively, by closing the lid ~~when a container has been placed in the dispenser.~~

19. (New) Carbonated drink dispenser, which comprises a cooling chamber having an opening in a top surface for accommodating a container containing carbonated drink through said top surface, a lid hingingly connected to said cooling chamber for closing off the opening and having a dispensing head for opening and closing a dispensing line and a container containing carbonated drink provided with a drink dispensing opening and with the dispensing line that connects the drink dispensing opening to the dispensing head, wherein the container is provided with a pressure medium feed opening and with a reservoir with a pressure medium therein, which reservoir is provided with a pressure line coupling, wherein the lid is provided with the pressure line with, at one end, a reservoir connector for connecting to the pressure line coupling of the reservoir and with, at the other end, a pressure medium feed connector for connecting to the pressure medium feed opening of the container, wherein the reservoir connector and the pressure medium feed connector are brought into fluid-tight engagement with the pressure line coupling and the pressure medium feed opening respectively, by closing the lid.

20. (New) Assembly according to Claim 2, wherein the container is provided with an accommodating cavity with a replaceable container containing CO<sub>2</sub> under a pressure higher than 1 bar therein.

21. (New) Assembly according to Claim 20, wherein the replaceable container contains liquid CO<sub>2</sub>.

22. (New) Assembly according to Claim 2, wherein the pressure line is in communication with an expansion chamber located between the reservoir connector and the pressure medium feed connector of the pressure line to reduce the pressure of the CO<sub>2</sub> from the reservoir.